

Whereas: The declaration of purpose to the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964 as amended (42 USC 2701) states as follows:

"Although the economic well-being and prosperity of the United States have progressed to a level surpassing any achieved in world history, and although these benefits are widely shared throughout the Nation, poverty continues to be the lot of a substantial number of our people. The United States can achieve its full economic and social potential as a nation only if every individual has the opportunity to contribute to the full extent of his capabilities and to participate in the workings of our society. It is therefore, the policy of the United States to eliminate the paradox of poverty in the midst of plenty in this Nation by opening to everyone the opportunity for education and training, the opportunity to work, and the opportunity to live in decency and dignity. It is the purpose of this Act to strengthen, supplement, and coordinate efforts in furtherance of that policy.

It is the sense of the Congress that it is highly desirable to employ the resources of the private sector of the economy of the United States in all such efforts to further the policy of this Act."

Whereas: Throughout the length and breadth of the state of South Dakota, Community Action Agency Board members and volunteer workers from all sectors of our society contribute unselfishly of their personal resources, time and expertise, to further the purposes of the Economic Opportunity Act and promote the self-sufficiency of the individual.

Whereas: It is deemed fitting and appropriate to acknowledge and honor the efforts of all South Dakota citizens engaged in furthering the purposes of the Economic Opportunity Act by their participation on local Community Action Agency Boards or through voluntary contributions of time, goods or services.

Now Therefore:

I, Richard F. Kneip, Governor of the State of South Dakota do hereby issue this proclamation which publicly acknowledges the gratification of all the people of this state for the personal commitment and contribution of Community Action Agency Board members and volunteers to their communities. With deep dedication and concern for people, without concern for compensation, they have served well the American ideal of individual self-help and personal dignity.

  
RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

  
ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA - BUREAU OF ADMINISTRATION - OFFICE OF RECORDS MANAGEMENT - CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY  
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